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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	156.52	146.67	144.83	-7.5%	-1.3%	120.00	200.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	123.44	133.33	130.00	5.3%	-2.5%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	169.59	144.83	147.43	-13.1%	1.8%	120.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	131.08	121.48	123.64	-5.7%	1.8%	80.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	201.63	192.00	193.33	-4.1%	0.7%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	122.52	107.74	107.57	-12.2%	-0.2%	80.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	119.32	95.71	93.75	-21.4%	-2.1%	60.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	150.11	140.00	138.75	-7.6%	-0.9%	120.00	200.00
Gotukola	Bunch	33.76	36.15	35.33	4.7%	-2.3%	30.00	50.00
Kankun	Bunch	39.38	36.79	35.94	-8.7%	-2.3%	30.00	50.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	43.32	41.43	41.25	-4.8%	-0.4%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	45.07	45.00	45.00	-0.2%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	145.91	137.78	136.84	-6.2%	-0.7%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	197.47	167.22	165.25	-16.3%	-1.2%	120.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	241.74	361.03	365.76	51.3%	1.3%	300.00	400.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	272.01	216.67	223.89	-17.7%	3.3%	160.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	215.01	142.67	143.33	-33.3%	0.5%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	166.19	268.97	272.73	64.1%	1.4%	200.00	400.00
Coconut - Average	Each	77.85	50.48	50.05	-35.7%	-0.8%	35.00	70.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	87.40	62.50	61.46	-29.7%	-1.7%	50.00	70.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	76.85	49.05	48.80	-36.5%	-0.5%	40.00	60.00
Coconut (small)	Each	69.29	39.88	39.89	-42.4%	0.0%	35.00	50.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	206.20	278.06	281.82	36.7%	1.4%	200.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	244.79	320.00	325.00	32.8%	1.6%	300.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	167.60	236.11	238.64	42.4%	1.1%	200.00	250.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	445.38	508.33	526.70	18.3%	3.6%	400.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	524.92	566.67	590.91	12.6%	4.3%	500.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	365.83	450.00	462.50	26.4%	2.8%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	146.85	164.71	166.09	13.1%	0.8%	140.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	80.01	98.61	98.90	23.6%	0.3%	80.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	290.08	255.00	258.00	-11.1%	1.2%	230.00	300.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	38.92	36.79	35.94	-7.7%	-2.3%	30.00	50.00
Nivithi	500g	51.14	49.23	49.33	-3.5%	0.2%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	44.33	46.67	45.71	3.1%	-2.0%	40.00	60.00
Thampala	Bunch	42.92	45.00	44.29	3.2%	-1.6%	40.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	283.33	293.33	296.00	4.5%	0.9%	280.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	202.07	146.48	145.37	-28.1%	-0.8%	120.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	158.61	134.40	135.17	-14.8%	0.6%	120.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	142.28	116.55	117.14	-17.7%	0.5%	80.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	127.86	126.40	125.52	-1.8%	-0.7%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	150.16	151.81	153.11	2.0%	0.9%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	648.79	370.00	363.33	-44.0%	-1.8%	300.00	500.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	171.39	158.42	154.76	-9.7%	-2.3%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	108.56	128.70	127.41	17.4%	-1.0%	120.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	98.96	103.73	105.65	6.8%	1.8%	80.00	160.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	272.69	333.93	332.57	22.0%	-0.4%	300.00	360.00
Corriander	1Kg.	323.47	375.38	372.50	15.2%	-0.8%	300.00	800.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1525.69	1489.41	1516.00	-0.6%	1.8%	1400.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	660.24	645.45	660.00	0.0%	2.3%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	304.42	277.86	279.71	-8.1%	0.7%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	799.89	850.00	853.23	6.7%	0.4%	800.00	900.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	582.74	623.08	631.25	8.3%	1.3%	500.00	800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	366.95	382.14	380.88	3.8%	-0.3%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	351.87	376.79	371.88	5.7%	-1.3%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2898.52	3023.08	3152.94	8.8%	4.3%	2800.00	3600.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	670.30	615.22	635.71	-5.2%	3.3%	500.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1583.55	1818.18	1830.77	15.6%	0.7%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	61.90	61.57	61.57	-0.5%	0.0%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	350.46	375.22	381.79	8.9%	1.8%	300.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	225.76	174.11	174.14	-22.9%	0.0%	140.00	200.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	102.86	102.86		0.0%	100.00	120.00
Imported	1kg.	112.85	77.21	76.97	-31.8%	-0.3%	68.00	90.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	87.96	80.20	80.46	-8.5%	0.3%	68.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	92.34	84.44	83.64	-9.4%	-1.0%	80.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	83.58	75.96	77.29	-7.5%	1.8%	68.00	85.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	81.06	85.17	85.45	5.4%	0.3%	75.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	101.00	93.81	94.94	-6.0%	1.2%	80.00	110.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	91.74	90.56	91.32	-0.5%	0.8%	86.00	100.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	104.66	109.33	109.74	4.8%	0.4%	100.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	113.17	115.53	115.00	1.6%	-0.5%	110.00	120.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	96.16	103.14	104.48	8.7%	1.3%	100.00	115.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	90.22	94.27	94.32	4.5%	0.1%	86.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	148.31	151.99	152.01	2.5%	0.0%	116.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	188.17	191.11	191.67	1.9%	0.3%	180.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	135.02	137.86	136.67	1.2%	-0.9%	130.00	140.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	121.75	127.00	127.68	4.9%	0.5%	116.00	130.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	296.99	272.69	275.83	-7.1%	1.2%	240.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	248.35	264.09	264.83	6.6%	0.3%	220.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	362.38	236.52	239.15	-34.0%	1.1%	200.00	300.00
Sugar	1Kg.	109.12	105.60	105.15	-3.6%	-0.4%	95.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1044.86	1013.75	1022.73	-2.1%	0.9%	900.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	923.48	836.25	810.91	-12.2%	-3.0%	720.00	900.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1110.11	1115.86	1121.27	1.0%	0.5%	900.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	620.43	672.86	647.14	4.3%	-3.8%	550.00	800.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	931.54	991.00	989.23	6.2%	-0.2%	800.00	1200.00
Mora	1Kg.	749.11	787.00	796.67	6.3%	1.2%	700.00	900.00
Salaya	1Kg.	161.28	206.32	193.64	20.1%	-6.1%	160.00	240.00
Parati	1Kg.	664.49	695.00	682.11	2.7%	-1.9%	550.00	820.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	577.49	630.77	628.00	8.7%	-0.4%	500.00	720.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	n.a.	377.86	363.13		-3.9%	300.00	440.00
Linna	1Kg.	n.a.	294.38	299.47		1.7%	200.00	360.00
Prawns	1Kg.	n.a.	1013.13	1011.05		-0.2%	900.00	1100.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1190.62	1286.54	1301.72	9.3%	1.2%	1200.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	704.68	760.71	756.67	7.4%	-0.5%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	584.06	600.63	612.50	4.9%	2.0%	500.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	951.52	983.85	981.88	3.2%	-0.2%	950.00	1000.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1786.05	1804.55	1803.57	1.0%	-0.1%	1800.00	1850.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	540.14	565.71	572.50	6.0%	1.2%	500.00	620.00
Broiler	1Kg.	420.00	445.00	445.00	6.0%	0.0%	445.00	445.00
Pork	1Kg.	626.67	733.33	733.33	17.0%	0.0%	700.00	800.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	14.24	20.17	19.83	39.2%	-1.7%	17.00	22.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.92	21.00	20.65	38.4%	-1.7%	18.00	22.00
Egg - White	Each	13.57	19.34	19.00	40.0%	-1.8%	17.00	20.00
Tin Fish	425g.	236.76	252.50	253.04	6.9%	0.2%	240.00	270.00
Lakspray	400g.	325.00	345.00	345.00	6.2%	0.0%	345.00	345.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	345.00	345.00	6.2%	0.0%	345.00	345.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	590.00	590.00	590.00	0.0%	0.0%	590.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	580.00	580.00	580.00	0.0%	0.0%	580.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	120.75	95.91	91.82	-24.0%	-4.3%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	184.19	178.82	175.00	-5.0%	-2.1%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	203.49	175.13	170.78	-16.1%	-2.5%	150.00	200.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	98.01	269.52	271.05	176.6%	0.6%	200.00	300.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	155.36	156.82	158.21	1.8%	0.9%	120.00	200.00
Bread	450g.	58.83	62.50	62.50	6.2%	0.0%	60.00	65.00

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

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*: MAIN MARKETS IN COLOMBO DISTRICT- PETTAH, MARADANA, BORELLA, DEMATAGODA, GRANDPASS, KIRULAPANA, WELLAWATTA, KOTTE, NUGEGODA, DEHIWALA, RATHMALANA, KOLONNAWA